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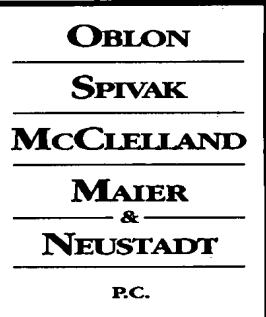
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SIR:

The following is a Request for Certificate of Correction in Serial Number 10/767,333, now U.S. Patent Number 7,209,318.

In accordance with the provisions of Rule 322 of the Rules of Practice, which implement 35 USC 254, the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is respectfully requested to issue a Certificate of Correction in the above-identified patent.

In light of the fact that the errors were the fault of our office and the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, the required fee of \$100 is enclosed. The requested corrections are listed on FORM P.T.O. 1050.

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Column 14, line 53, change "ser" to - -set- -.

Column 15, line 23, Claim 5 change "convexed" to - -convex- -.

Column 15, line 37, Claim 6 change ";" to - -, - -.

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